

School Council 23.4.26

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Aims:

1. Help the FOBS to raise the last £1000 for the climbing frame.
2. Start thinking about other things we need in school.
3. Design a rota for the climbing frame.

Ongoing projects:

Larry is with Barn Owls for the next 2 weeks.

Tawny Owls and Barn Owls will read together fortnightly in the Summer Term when Snowy Owls are doing Forest Schools.

We are having a trip to the ROARR!! in June.

Frozen Fridays start after May half term.

Can we have lines on the field? We have requested a football pitch then running track.

FOBs colour run will be on 15th June.

Lunch time tidy up bell at 12:55 but at 12:50 on Fridays started this week and worked.

FOBs ask what songs the children would like to hear at Brisfest? We collected suggestions from each class and these were passed to the FOBS.

New suggestions:

Barn Owls:

Can we have a game v Rudham every month? The school council said no because this would be too expensive. (We have to hire a minibus each time.) The cricket game is June 5th.

Can we have another trip? We already have a residential and a school trip this term for Barn Owls. That's 4 days not in school already, plus the 2 or 3 you'll have for transition to high school if you're in year 6.

Can we have an after school drama club? We will ask Mrs Bell to be aware of this request. Sometimes people write to the office to offer clubs for after school.

Can we have a movement break in the afternoon? Whilst it is up to the class teacher's judgement, you should expect to work through the afternoon.

At lunchtime, should the noisiest table clear the chairs? The school council felt that it would regularly be the same table that have to do it. Everyone should take a turn at helping. At the moment, if some children are noisy, they are asked to help with chairs at the end.

Can packed lunches start as soon as they come into the dinner hall? It was explained that when we have done this before, they finish early and the noise goes up at the end while children have to wait. The school council thought this wouldn't be fair on the hot dinner children.

Can packed lunches have their food on the field as a picnic. School council said no:

1. It's not fair on hot dinners.
2. People rush their food.
3. No one wants school dinners.
4. Wasps!

Can we have no bell in the dinner hall? It's loud and adds to the noise. Mr Kerkham spoke to Mrs Taylor and she said she is ringing the bell more gently.

Can we have a third set of goals? Mr Kerkham will reconstruct one of the old goals soon.

Snowy Owls

Can we have a music day? Children suggested that they have instruments from the library, play music outside, have music in class, perform songs, collect and play favourite songs, play musical statues. Good idea. Mr Kerkham will discuss this with the teachers soon.

Can we have an afternoon break? You have PE 2 days a week. Whilst it is up to the class teacher's judgement, you should expect to work through the afternoon.

When is the next Break the Rules Day? This is at the end for each half term. Friday 22nd May. Rules were discussed. These are the suggested rules so far. These will be circulated to parents in upcoming newsletters.

50p per rule

1. Dress up as your favourite hobby
2. Bring in a toy (has to stay on a table in the corner)
3. Juice in your water bottle
4. Wear your own clothes
5. Have a chocolate bar at break

Tawny Owls

Can Tawny Owls go on the big pitch? This is on the calendar for one day a month. The school council suggest that the Tawny Owls do this in a break time at a different time to the other classes.

Can we have a dress up as your favourite hobby day? Yes on Break the Rules Day.

Next meeting - 10am Wednesday May 20th